



**PATENT APPLICATION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Yasuhisa FUJIWARA

Group Art Unit: 3625

Application No.: 09/780,443

Examiner: C. Nguyen

Filed: February 12, 2001

Docket No.: 107943

For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR EFFECTING ELECTRONIC COMMERCE

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

In reply to the December 29, 2003 Office Action, please consider the following:

**Amendments to the Claims** as reflected in the listing of claims; and

**Remarks.**

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Entitlement to small entity status is hereby asserted.  
☐ Small entity status of this application has been established.

The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)	SMALL ENTITY		OR	OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADD'L FEE		RATE	ADD'L FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	*42 MINUS	**35	=7	x 9	\$		x 18	\$ 126
INDEP CLAIMS	*8 MINUS	***6	=2	x 43	\$		x 86	\$ 172
<input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM				+ 145	\$		+290	\$
					\$			\$ 298

- \* If the entry in Column 1 is less than the entry in Column 2, write "0" in Column 3.  
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- ☒ Check No. 152632 in the amount of \$298.00 is attached. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees that may be required to complete this filing, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two duplicate copies of this sheet are attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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Date: March 29, 2004